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SIR:

Please enter the following amendment into the record of this case under the provisions of Rule 1.312:

IN THE SPECIFICATION:

Please amend the first paragraph of page 1, beginning on line 3, as follows:

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This application is a [complete application based on application Serial] continuation of U.S. Application No. 08/900,414, filed July 25, 1997, now Patent No. 6,017,563, the entire disclosure of which is incorporated herein by reference.

REMARKS

Applicant respectfully requests entry of the above amendments under the provisions of Rule 1.312.